

DONE at the City of Washington this 7th day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, and of the
 [SEAL] Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and eighty-second.

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

By the President:

CHRISTIAN A. HERTER,
Acting Secretary of State.

MINNESOTA CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION, 1958

May 9, 1958
 [No. 3239]

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the story of Minnesota stirs the imagination and warms the hearts of all who hold our history dear; and

WHEREAS on May 11, 1858, Minnesota added her bright star to the flag of our Nation to become the thirty-second State of the Union; and

WHEREAS the centenary of this richly endowed Commonwealth, celebrated as the "Star of the North", will be commemorated with appropriate ceremonies by its citizens and by the Nation; and

Ante, p. 105.

WHEREAS the Congress, by a joint resolution approved May 9, 1958, has authorized and requested the President to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to celebrate the anniversary of Minnesota's statehood:

Minnesota Centennial Celebration, 1958.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, President of the United States of America, pursuant to the joint resolution of Congress, do hereby call upon the American people to observe Sunday, May 11, 1958, the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of Minnesota into the Union, with ceremonies designed to honor that State and its people.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

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FOURTH INTERNATIONAL AUTOMATION CONGRESS AND EXPOSITION

May 9, 1958
 [No. 3240]

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the Fourth International Automation Congress and Exposition is to be held at New York, New York, from June 9 to June 13, 1958, for the purpose of exhibiting products used in increasing production, decreasing cost, and improving the standard of living all over the world; and

WHEREAS the Congress, by a joint resolution approved April 11, 1958, has authorized the President of the United States of America to invite the several States and foreign countries to take part in the Fourth International Automation Congress and Exposition; and

Ante, p. 85.

WHEREAS the Automation Congress and Exposition will provide an opportunity for the exchange of information on new developments in automation, thereby promoting foreign and domestic commerce and fostering friendly relations among participating nations:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, President of the United States of America, do hereby invite the several States and foreign countries to participate in the Fourth International Automation Congress and Exposition to be held in the Coliseum at New York, New York, from June 9 to June 13, 1958.

Fourth International Automation Congress and Exposition.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

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DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

By the President:

CHRISTIAN A. HERTER,
Acting Secretary of State.

FLAG DAY, 1958

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

May 12, 1958
[No. 3241]

A PROCLAMATION

The annual celebration of the birthday of our flag, adopted by the Continental Congress on June 14, 1777, has become a cherished national custom.

It is fitting that we should observe this anniversary by solemn contemplation of the meaning of the flag we honor. We should remember that it is emblematic of our Nation itself; that our aspirations, our principles, our whole character as a people are symbolized in the Stars and Stripes.

We should recall that under its protecting folds generations of Americans have lived and worked to establish the foundations of our Nation's greatness, and people of varied heritage, creed, and race have found surcease from oppression.

In recognition of the importance of a yearly commemoration of our flag, the Congress, by a joint resolution approved August 3, 1949 (63 Stat. 492), designated June 14 of each year as Flag Day and requested the President to issue annually a proclamation calling for its observance.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, President of the United States of America, do hereby direct that the flag of the United States be displayed on all Government buildings on Saturday, June 14, 1958, and I call upon the people to observe that day with suitable ceremonies, including the display of the flag at their homes and other appropriate places.

Flag Day, 1958.

I also urge all our citizens to give special thought on Flag Day to their duties and obligations as well as to their rights and privileges as Americans under our national ensign, to the end that they may rededicate themselves to the principles of freedom and justice for which our flag and our country stand.